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1995

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1. VHF-FM uTrans Schematics?

Newsgroup: rec.ham-radio
Date: 1995-02-08 22:06:26 UTC
From: jbadger@poplar110.cray.com
Message-ID: <1995Feb8.160626.7031@driftwood.cray.com>
Source record: 3317
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,sci.electronics

Would anyone happen to have a schematic for a low power VHF-FM micro transmitter? (Or know of a web/ftp site where I could find one?)

Thanks-in-advance.

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_/_/_/_/_/ _/_/_/ _/ _/ Jon Badger - jbadger@sdiv.cray.com
_/ _/ _/ _/_/ _/ CRAY Research, Inc.
_/ _/ _/ _/ _/ _/_/ 655F Lone Oak Drive
_/_/ _/_/_/ _/ _/ Eagan, MN 55121 (612)-683-5063

2. Re: VHF-FM uTrans Schematics?

Newsgroup: rec.ham-radio
Date: 1995-02-16 16:16:23 UTC
From: Robert Scott <Robert.Scott@ncl.ac.uk>
Message-ID: <3hvton$5qh@whitbeck.ncl.ac.uk>
Source record: 3318
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,sci.electronics

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I have a few - how small, how low power, stereo? bug?

Rob.

3. Re: VHF-FM uTrans Schematics?

Newsgroup: rec.ham-radio
Date: 1995-02-21 04:38:00 UTC
From: jlundgre@news.kn.PacBell.COM
Message-ID: <3ibqn8$iiu@ohlone.kn.pacbell.com>
Source record: 3319
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.scanner,sci.electronics

Try dg-rtp.dg.com /FM-10 directory. Hang out on the alt.radio.pirate
newsgroup for more info and FTP sites.

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| Rancho Santiago Community College District | disclaim- |
| 17th St. at Bristol \ Santa Ana, CA 92706 | ers apply.|
| jlundgre@pop.rancho.cc.ca.us\jlundgre@kn.pacbell.com | |
| "He who toys with the most dies, wins."- Dr Kevorkian?| |
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4. For Sale - QST Magazines

Newsgroup: rec.ham-radio
Date: 1995-04-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: jlovett@user1.channel1.com
Message-ID: <3ng8mc$rf5@news1.channel1.com>
Source record: 3320
Cross-posted to: rec.antiques.radio+phono,rec.ham-radio,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio-amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.arts.books.marketplace

QST magazines from the 1920's. Flaking on spines and a few loose pages. Otherwise in good condition. $10.00 each plus postage.

Some of the Articles

January 1925 Governor's-President Relay, WWV and 6xBM Schedules,
Super DX, Three Cups Offered For Short Wave Work,
The Neutrodyne C.W. tuner at 9ZT,
A Nationwide Fading Test

February 1925 The McCan Anti-Static Devices, Have You Heard KFUH?,
Official Wavelength Stations, Calls Heard

April 1925 Movies!, Oliver Heaviside,
A Reliable 3 to 5 Meter Sending Set,
The Regenaformer, The Eclipse Tests

June 1925 International Amateur Radio Union Formed!,
The Radiodyne Receiver, Adjusting the Transmitter

July 1925 Television Arrives, Short Wave Communications
with WNP
The Radio Equipment of the Navy-MacMillan Arctic
Expedition

September 1925 Reviewing the Receiver, Locating "Power Leaks"
by
Radio
A 360 degree Vernier Dial

October 1926 Covering All Wavelengths, Cheap Measuring Instruments,
Aurora and Its Effect upon Radio Signals

5. Get Your Ham Ticket at the Ham Exam Cram

Newsgroup: rec.ham-radio
Date: 1995-04-25 00:00:00 UTC
From: troy@mcs.com
Message-ID: <3nirav$6pk@News1.mcs.com>
Source record: 3321
Cross-posted to: chi.general,mcs.general,rec.ham-radio

No Code Amateur Radio License Class
Ham Exam Cram
at
Harper College

With the new FCC No Code Technician Class License, you can participate in Amateur Radio with full privileges at all frequencies above 50 Mhz. This includes repeaters, all of the new digital modes, HAM satellites, and RACES (Radio Amateur Civil Emergency Service.)

As a public service the Electronics Department at Harper College and the Northrop Grumman Amateur Radio Club will hold a one day "HAM EXAM CRAM" course on Saturday May 6 1995. This course is geared to provide you with everything you need to pass the FCC exam. It will make no attempt to go beyond the minimum required by the FCC, hence if you study the 4 pages provided before taking this class, you may obtain your FCC No Code Technician License in one day.

Class starts at 8:30 a.m., a lunch break is scheduled from 11:30 to 12:30, and the exam follows at 4:00 p.m. The fee for the course including the exam is $20.00. Call 708-925-6996 for more information and registration instructions. When you have registered you will receive the four-page handout by return mail. It is NOT recommended that you attempt the FCC exam without advanced study, at least of this review handout. The exam covers basic electrical and radio principles and applicable FCC rules and regulations. The latter are most frequently the stumbling block for those who don't succeed on the exam.

Please copy this notice and post it where it may receive the maximum exposure. We hope to build this program so that it may be run on a regular basis.

Call 708 925-6996 to register.

[I am passing this notice on as it requests... I know nothing more than what is already in this notice. Call the number above or email gdorner@harper.cc.il.us for more information. - Troy]

R. Troy Monaghen "Blessed is the man who finds wisdom, the man who gains
troy@mcs.com understanding, for she is more profitable than silver
and yields better returns than gold." Proverbs 3:13

6. For Sale - QST Magazines 1920s

Newsgroup: rec.ham-radio
Date: 1995-05-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: jlovett@user1.channel1.com
Message-ID: <3p291a$gk8@news1.channel1.com>
Source record: 3322
Cross-posted to: rec.antiques.radio+phono,rec.ham-radio,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio-amateur.digital.misc,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.arts.books.marketplace

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January 1924 Transatlantic Amateur Communication Accomplished
New World's Relay Records
New Zealand Bedlam of Yankee Signals

March 1924 WWV At hOME
Transatlantic Tests Report
Did You Serve in Radio During the War?

May 1924 The Navy's Work on Short Waves
The Eastward Voyage of the Tahiti
A Sixty-Foot Featherweight Mast
Daylight Transcon at Last

July 1924 Building Superheterodynes That Work
The Royal Order of Transatlantic Brasspounders

September 1924 Working at 20, 40, and 80 Meters
How to Change Your Neutrodyne for 100-Meter Reception

October 1924 Short Wave Daylight Transcoms
Working at 5 Meters
1XAM Copied Solid in Australasia
Super-Regeneration and Short Waves

November 1924 The One-control superheterodyne
Communication with New Zealand
The "Bowdoin" Returns
My Radio Experiences in the Far North

December 1924 Antipodes Linked by Amateur Radio
A Set that Works from 40 to 200 Meters

November 1926 General Electric Short-Wave Test Results
A Sensitive Vacuum tube Relay
Cage Antenna Hoops

7. Help: 2m HT jams TV

Newsgroup: rec.ham-radio
Date: 1995-05-31 00:00:00 UTC
From: hyx1@ciao.cc.columbia.edu
Message-ID: <3qgqvg$s58@apakabar.cc.columbia.edu>
Source record: 3323
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,sci.electronics,rec.ham-radio

A friend bought the 2 meter (145 MHz) handheld transceiver (HT)
from Radio Shack. This HT has the problem of jamming the TV when he
transmits full power with a 5/8 wave vertical antenna. I suggested
adding a filter to the TV. But it didn't work. I would appreciate
any help and suggestion in solving this problem?

Btw, I tried transmitting with my Icom 2GAT (7 watts) with different
antennas right next to my TV with no bad affected. I guess Icom is
just good with harmonic suppression.

Cheers & 73, Harry/AA2NO
hyx1@columbia.edu

8. [WANTED] 5KHz LC oscillation circuit.

Newsgroup: rec.ham-radio
Date: 1995-06-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: peterh@adacel.com.au
Message-ID: <peterh.803527312@server>
Source record: 3324
Cross-posted to: sci.electronics,aus.electronics,comp.robotics,aus.radio,aus.radio.packet,rec.ham-radio,rec.ham-radio.packet

Hi,

I'm after a design for a 5KHz antenna circuit, consisting of an
inductor and capacitor set up as a tank oscillation circuit. I need
it to detect a 5KHz signal. I then want to feed this into an op-amp.

I figure the inductor would be wound on an air core former of about
5mm diameter.

I'm not too good on antenna design so the above may not be the
best approach. I need to make the antenna as small as possible.

It is best if you email me directly as I don't have access to all of the
groups I've posted to. I'll post a summary of the responses.

Thanks in advance,

Peter.
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Peter Homann email: peterh@adacel.com.au
Adacel Pty Ltd Work : (03) 596-2991
250 Bay St, Brighton 3186, VIC, AUSTRALIA Fax : (03) 596-2960

9. SW radios and misc electronics

Newsgroup: rec.ham-radio
Date: 1995-07-10 00:00:00 UTC
From: bobla@comm.mot.com
Message-ID: <1995Jul10.150638.26634@lmpsbbs.comm.mot.com>
Source record: 3325
Cross-posted to: chi.forsale,wi.forsale,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.ham-radio

Radio/Electronics stuff for sale.

Hallicrafters SX-111 Ham Band SW radio for sale. All tube design.
Good condition. $60 firm.

2 Hallicrafters SX-100 radios. Low end general coverage SW radios.
All tube design. $30 for the pair.

1 old tabletop FM radio. Needs filter cap or rectifier tube as the
audio has a loud 60 hz buzz. Very unique cabinet design. Red Plastic,
Emerson. $30 firm. Very Good condition.

1 old tabletop AM radio. Needs tuner string rerun. Works fine.
Unique cabinet design. I believe bakelight. $20.

Large number of tubes in boxes. Approx. 200+. $100. Many common such
as 6au6, 12ax7, etc as well as oddballs.

HP power supply. Model 6246 0-20v, 0-20A. Does not adjust below 10V.
$50.

0-450V DC power supply. Good condition, works perfect. Do not remember
the brand off hand but if interested call and I will look it up.

Tek 3a6 vertical sweep plug in. $12.

Please respond via return email or call 708-931-4880. All items
are cash and carry, and are located in Elgin, Illinois.

10. Looking for license information for W9EPT

Newsgroup: rec.ham-radio
Date: 1995-08-08 00:00:00 UTC
From: H Campbell <HCAMPBEL@vma.cc.nd.edu>
Message-ID: <95220.142338HCAMPBEL@vma.cc.nd.edu>
Source record: 3326
Cross-posted to: in.ham-radio,rec.ham-radio

Don Smith, W9EPT, died yesterday and I have been asked to try and
locate information about his ham license. I have been able to
find current information on several web pages, but have been unable
to find the date his license was first issued. Any one out there who
can help? Thanks.

-- H Campbell

H Gregory Campbell | hcampbel@vma.cc.nd.edu
Systems Programmer | hcampbel@irishvma
Univ. of Notre Dame |
Notre Dame, Indiana, USA | (219) 631-5600

11. Re: $1,800 WEEKLY! MAILING OUR CIRCULARS

Newsgroup: rec.ham-radio
Date: 1995-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bell-Northern Research <bizsol@magi.com>
Message-ID: <41t2vt$9j6@crchh327.rich.bnr.ca>
Source record: 3228
Cross-posted to: soc.culture.russian,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.ham-radio,ott.jobs,ott.forsale.other,ott.forsale.computing,ont.jobs,newbridge.rec,newbridge.notice,newbridge.forsale,misc.invest.technical,misc.invest.stocks,misc.invest.canada,bc.jobs,alt.current-events.russia,ab.jobs

Come and visit our WWW site we may be able to help you advertise your mail order business. We offer many different types of jobs and income opportunities for everyone!!

http://www.magi.com/~bizsol/

Cheers,

Justin

12. Re: $1,800 WEEKLY! MAILING OUR CIRCULARS

Newsgroup: rec.ham-radio
Date: 1995-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: "John L. Rouse" <jrouse@dc.infi.net>
Message-ID: <41t842$eo7@allnews.infi.net>
Source record: 3229
Cross-posted to: soc.culture.russian,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.ham-radio,ott.jobs,ott.forsale.other,ott.forsale.computing,ont.jobs,newbridge.rec,newbridge.notice,newbridge.forsale,misc.invest.technical,misc.invest.stocks,misc.invest.canada,bc.jobs,alt.current-events.russia,ab.jobs

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> order business. We offer many different types of jobs and income opportunities
> for everyone!!
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> http://www.magi.com/~bizsol/
>
> Cheers,
>
> Justin
>
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Just another example of the greedy in hot pursuit of the
greenback without actually spending money for advertising..
I see this is also copied to alt.current-events.russia. Lots
of potential there -- get your kiosk on the Internet, hi...

73,
John KA3DBN

John L. Rouse
Capital-Gazette Communications
jrouse@dc.infi.net

13. Re: $1,800 WEEKLY! MAILING OUR CIRCULARS

Newsgroup: rec.ham-radio
Date: 1995-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: MRITUNJAY BANSAL <BANSA000@mail.genmills.com>
Message-ID: <41tc51$s51@news.mr.net>
Source record: 3230
Cross-posted to: soc.culture.russian,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.ham-radio,ott.jobs,ott.forsale.other,ott.forsale.computing,ont.jobs,newbridge.rec,newbridge.notice,newbridge.forsale,misc.invest.technical,misc.invest.stocks,misc.invest.canada,bc.jobs,alt.current-events.russia,ab.jobs

This is just the kind of disgusting commercial crap that we can do without. In a high-tech world it seems, the anarchists could get away with it!!!!!

Oh well, anxiety and pleasure I guess do go together.

Mritunjay

14. Re: $1,800 WEEKLY! MAILING OUR CIRCULARS

Newsgroup: rec.ham-radio
Date: 1995-08-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: vadim bendebury <vbendeb@vbnd.newbridge.com>
Message-ID: <NEWTNews.809644111.7656.vbendeb@vbnd.ca.newbridge.com>
Source record: 3231
Cross-posted to: soc.culture.russian,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.ham-radio,ott.jobs,ott.forsale.other,ott.forsale.computing,ont.jobs,newbridge.rec,newbridge.notice,newbridge.forsale,misc.invest.technical,misc.invest.stocks,misc.invest.canada,bc.jobs,alt.current-events.russia,ab.jobs

hey Michael,

see what I ran into on the ott.jobs newsgroup
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>
> Our company is seeking homeworkers who are willing to
> work only a few hours per week at home mailing our circulars.
> Our program pays you $6 for every envelope you secure and
> mail with our circulars, plus 40% of every sale! You are
> never required to purchase any envelopes or postage stamps
> for as long you stay in the program. The demand for our
> products has increased rapidly, thus, creating an opportunity
> to people of all backgrounds, regardless of education or
> experience to distribute our manuals. There are no quotas to
> fill and you can quit this program at anytime you wish.
> Complete distributor support is provided. To receive complete
> details immediately, reply to: dbase@internetmci.com
>
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15. Re: $1,800 WEEKLY! MAILING OUR CIRCULARS

Newsgroup: rec.ham-radio
Date: 1995-08-29 00:00:00 UTC
From: ichudov@star89.galstar.com
Message-ID: <41v3t2$oms@mercury.galstar.com>
Source record: 3232
Cross-posted to: soc.culture.russian,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.ham-radio,ott.jobs,ott.forsale.other,ott.forsale.computing,ont.jobs,newbridge.rec,newbridge.notice,newbridge.forsale,misc.invest.technical,misc.invest.stocks,misc.invest.canada,bc.jobs,alt.current-events.russia,ab.jobs

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For public PGP key, finger me or send email with Subject "send pgp key"
"There is something sexy about a computer nerd." - actress Sandra Bullock

16. Re: $1,800 WEEKLY! MAILING OUR CIRCULARS

Newsgroup: rec.ham-radio
Date: 1995-09-01 00:00:00 UTC
From: "T. Hanson" <ultmark@phoenix.net>
Message-ID: <425v8k$i8h@gryphon.phoenix.net>
Source record: 3233
Cross-posted to: soc.culture.russian,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.antenna,rec.ham-radio,ott.jobs,ott.forsale.other,ott.forsale.computing,ont.jobs,newbridge.rec,newbridge.notice,newbridge.forsale,misc.invest.technical,misc.invest.stocks,misc.invest.canada,bc.jobs,alt.current-events.russia,ab.jobs

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Isn't it funny how by you spamming back you get your site spammed all
around. When will you self appointed internet police learn to ignore the
post, and mail the postmaster.

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Sincerely,
Todd H. Hanson

E-Mail ultmark@phoenix.net
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17. 4 Sale: National HR05TA1 and Hammarland HQ140-AX

Newsgroup: rec.ham-radio
Date: 1995-09-04 00:00:00 UTC
From: Wilmoth@Primenet.com
Message-ID: <42dgd2$d08@nnrp3.primenet.com>
Source record: 3234
Cross-posted to: rec.antiques.radio+phono,rec.ham-radio,rec.ham-radio.packet,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipmenet,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.homebrew,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.swap

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National brand ham Receiver: HRO5TA1
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50 khz to 30 Mhz

1940's Circa.

Excellent condition complete with all 9 plug in tuning coil sets, original speaker and
power supply (both external) owners manual

Hammarlund ham Receiver: HQ140-AX
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All Band

1960's Circa.

Excellent Condition. Missing External Speaker and Owner Manual.

Make offer on either or both radios if interested.
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18. BULLETIN: New Radio Propagation Software Announcement

Newsgroup: rec.ham-radio
Date: 1995-09-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: oler@holly.cc.uleth.ca
Message-ID: <42j70m$sub@vixen.cso.uiuc.edu>
Source record: 3235
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.shortwave,rec.ham-radio,rec.radio.swap

SOLAR TERRESTRIAL DISPATCH

PROUDLY ANNOUNCES THE RELEASE OF

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| Version 2.0 | |
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Adding New Dimensions to Radio Propagation

NEW low PRICES: $70.00 to $125.00 USD (see below)!

SKYCOM PRO is one of the most powerful High Frequency (HF) radio propagation packages available. Here are some of the powerful new features:

*** COMPREHENSIVE RAY-TRACING NOW INCLUDES EFFECTS OF THE EARTH'S MAGNETIC FIELD AND COLLISIONS!
This is a major step forward for radio enthusiasts!

*** RAY TRACE ORDINARY AND/OR EXTRAORDINARY RAYS!
Observe how signals split into the ordinary and extraordinary components and how they each travel independent paths through the ionosphere.

*** SOPHISTICATED TWO OR *THREE* DIMENSIONAL RAY-TRACING OF RADIO SIGNALS THROUGH THE IONOSPHERE!
SKYCOM PRO Version 2.0 now has the ability to trace signals through the ionosphere in THREE DIMENSIONS using a powerful rotatable three-dimensional grid.

*** TRACE RAYS THROUGH TILTED REGIONS OF THE IONOSPHERE!
When signals pass through regions where the ionosphere is tilted, they are refracted away from the expected great-circle paths (often very substantially). Tilts can also result in chordal-hop propagation where signals may travel great distances within the ionosphere without experiencing great attenuation. SKYCOM PRO will accurately trace signals (ordinary and extraordinary components) through tilted regions of the ionosphere, precisely showing you how far signals are deviated and where they hit the ground.

*** ACCURATE COMPUTATION OF ATTENUATING IONOSPHERIC DEVIATIVE AND NON-DEVIATIVE ABSORPTION.

*** COMPUTATION OF RADIO SIGNAL FIELD STRENGTHS.
The new ray-tracing features of SKYCOM PRO now include the direct computation of radio signal field strengths (as opposed to signal "qualities") in units of dB above 1 microvolt (dBu or dB above 1 uV).

*** CONSTRUCT BROADCAST COVERAGE MAPS USING RESULTS OF THE NEW COMPREHENSIVE RAY-TRACING FUNCTIONS.
SKYCOM PRO comes equipped with an all-new utility to read the comprehensive ray-tracing results and produce fully-contoured maps of the following important quantities:

- Signal Strength (dBu).
- Ray elevation angles at the ground.
- Propagation delays (milliseconds)
- Locations where rays (ordinary or extraordinary) reach the ground.

*** TRACINGS NOW INCLUDE THE DIFFERING ABSORBING EFFECTS OF RAYS WHICH ARE REFLECTED FROM THE GROUND (DRY EARTH), THE OCEANS, AND ICE CAPS.
Signals which are reflected by the ground are attenuated to an extent that is dependent on the characteristics of the ground. For example, signals are reflected with relative ease from the oceans but are attenuated more extensively if reflected from dry ground. SKYCOM PRO attempts to handle these different reflection conditions by referencing an earth/ocean/ice geographical database.

*** PRODUCE 24-HOURLY GRAPHS OF MAXIMUM USABLE FREQUENCIES ALONG ANY PATH.
Users can now more easily determine what times of the day may support higher frequency radio propagation. It is based on ray-tracing results and is therefore slower but more accurate than the empirical methods employed by other propagation software.

*** DEFINE THE TRANSMITTER ANTENNA RADIATION PATTERN.
SKYCOM PRO will examine antenna radiation patterns when comprehensively tracing rays through the ionosphere. Resulting signal strength values therefore include effects of antenna gain at defined radiation azimuths and angles of elevation.

*** SKYCOM PRO INCLUDES APPROPRIATE DATA FOR MANY DIFFERENT TYPES OF ANTENNAS.
SKYCOM PRO includes the following built-in antennas:
- Simple long-wire
- Sloping V
- Inverted L
- Omni-directional
- Multi-band Tropical Arrays
- Multi-band Aperiodic Reflector Arrays
- Yagis
- Quadrants
- Dipole Arrays
- Log-Periodic Arrays
- Rhombics

- Monopoles
- Curtain Array
And of course, you can create your own antenna radiation patterns.

*** COMPREHENSIVELY RAY-TRACE SIGNALS THROUGH THE IONOSPHERE USING A VARIETY OF SELECTABLE STANDARD MODELS.
SKYCOM PRO comes equipped with FIVE available standard ray-tracing models, THREE standard models of the Earth's magnetic field, THREE standard electron collision frequency models, FOUR standard models of electron density, and TWO ray-tracing integration techniques.

*** SKYCOM PRO REMAINS VERY EASY TO USE AND UNDERSTAND.
Our Users Manual has been substantially enlarged to explain in detail how to use the new features of SKYCOM PRO.

*** SKYCOM PRO CONTAINS AN EXTENSIVE CONTEXT-SENSITIVE HELP SYSTEM
Press F1 for help at any of the prompts.

*** DETAILED NUMERICAL RESULTS OF COMPRENSIVE RAY-TRACINGS CAN BE PRODUCED.
- Ground Range of the Ray.
- Lateral Deviation of the Ray measured as the change in bearing from the transmitter.
- Lateral Deviation of the Ray measured as the change of bearing at the Ray location itself.
- Elevation angle of the Ray measured from the transmitter.
- Elevation angle (or inclination) of the Ray itself measured from the horizontal.
- The polarization of the ray (including both the real and imaginary parts of the polarization).
- The Group Path.
- The Phase Path.
- Ionospheric Absorption (deviative and non-deviative).
- Change of frequency (or Doppler shift) if encountered.
- Total traversed geometrical Path Length.

*** DEFINE THE ALTITUDE OF THE TRANSMITTER ABOVE THE SURFACE OF THE EARTH FOR THREE-DIMENSIONAL RAY-TRACING.

SKYCOM PRO includes all of the other features which complemented previous versions of SKYCOM. Unless otherwise stated, most of the features listed below do not yet make use of the new comprehensive ray-tracing features, but use the simpler and faster ray-tracing methods previously employed to derive their results. A few of the more significant features include:

* PERFORM FULL HF OR VHF SPECTRUM ANALYSIS
* Study the effects of Sporadic-E on radio signals.
* Generate Oblique Ionograms between any two locations.
* Simultaneously observe changes in the electron density as the signals are traced and refracted from one point to another.
* Examine the effects of signal convergence and divergence caused by ionospheric refraction.

* Directly print-out any of the many available graphic screens produced by SKYCOM on your printer. This feature is supported in all of the new comprehensive ray-tracing functions and features of SKYCOM PRO.
* Estimate effects of solar flares (minor or major) on the ionosphere and signals traversing the daylit sides of the influenced ionosphere.
* Determine the total distance traversed inside or outside the ionosphere.
* Examine the effects on transpolar or transauroral circuits (that is, those signal paths that cross into or through the auroral zones or polar regions where significant signal degradation can occur).
* Determine the total distance traversed by signals inside the influential auroral zones. A dynamic model of the auroral zones is employed.
* Determine optimum azimuths and elevation angles for transmitting or receiving to/from any area of the world.
* Determine ray-traced Maximum Usable Frequencies for practically any path.
* Change the colors used by SKYCOM's menu and text to anything you desire.
* PRODUCE IN-DEPTH COMPLEX GLOBAL MAPS OF IONOSPHERIC CHARACTERISTICS
The range of constructable maps include:
- Maximum Usable Frequencies for any time of day.
- M-factors for 3000 km distances.
- Critical E or F2 layer frequencies.
- Solar zenith angles (elevation of the Sun).
- Maximum height of the F2 layer.
- Transverse CROSS-SECTIONS of the ionosphere for any path.
- geomagnetic DIP or inclination angles throughout the world.
- Total Field Intensity of the geomagnetic field.
- Magnetic Latitude or Modified DIP angles.
* SELECT TRANSMITTER & RECEIVER LOCATIONS FROM OUR GEOGRAPHICAL DATABASE OR ADD YOUR OWN LOCATIONS TO THE DATABASE.
* YOU CAN EVEN SELECT GEOGRAPHICAL LOCATIONS BY TYPING IN GRID-SQUARE DESIGNATIONS. FOR EXAMPLE, "DO19", OR "QF10", OR EVEN THE MORE ACCURATE EXTENDED DESIGNATIONS "DN34UH" ARE SUCCESSFULLY TRANSLATED.
* Rigorously compute the FOT, or Frequency of Optimum Transmission, ensuring at least 85% of the transmitted power is reflected by the ionosphere.
* COMBINE MAPS OF DIFFERING TYPES

SKYCOM PRO Version 2.0 is a user-friendly, sophisticated and extraordinarily powerful software package. If you have any questions, or require additional specific information, contact Cary Oler: Oler@Solar.Uleth.CA, or Oler@Uleth.CA, or COler@Solar.Stanford.Edu. Alternatively, write to us at our address below, FAX us at: 403-756-3008, or leave us a message at: 403-756-2386.

Contact Oler@Solar.Uleth.CA or COler@Solar.Stanford.Edu for a comparative analysis of features between SKYCOM PRO and five popular HF propagation programs.

REQUIRED SKYCOM PRO INPUTS:

- Date and time.
- Geographical location(s) (latitude and longitude values).
- Sunspot number or 10.7 cm solar radio flux value (available from WWV or WWVH noted below). Or, values can be derived through our BCAST software (below).

OPTIONAL SKYCOM INPUTS:

- Geomagnetic A-Index (available from radio stations WWV or WWVH at 2.5, 5, 10, 15, or 20 MHz at 18 minutes past each hour).
- Location and magnitude of sporadic-E activity (available from our daily ionospheric summaries on the Internet or on computer BBS).
- Magnitude of solar flare activity for SWF analysis (again, available through our daily solar summaries on the Internet or on our computer BBS).
- Transmitter power (in Watts).
- Transmitting Antenna Radiation Pattern.
- Magnitude of polar cap absorption (if present, can be determined from our daily solar summaries on the Internet or on our computer BBS).

SKYCOM SYSTEM REQUIREMENTS:

- IBM or compatible computer system. Systems with 386 or better processors are highly recommended, but not required. Will operate fine on older computers, but more slowly.
- Math Coprocessor strongly recommended, but not mandatory. 486 or better microprocessors have built-in math coprocessors.
- MSDOS 3.3 or higher. Under the configurations we have tested, SKYCOM appears to work under the DOS mode of Windows 95. However, it has not yet been extensively tested under that new system.
- VGA graphics capabilities required. All graphics are VGA quality.
- At least 540 K of available free memory.

SKYCOM SOFTWARE PRICING INFORMATION:

Appropriate order forms have been appended below. Consult the order forms for specific pricing information.

SPECIAL BULK-PURCHASE DISCOUNT

Bulk purchases of SKYCOM PRO at discounted rates can be requested provided at least three SKYCOM PRO packages are requested per bulk order. The regular rate of $110.00 USD applies for less than three orders. For three or more orders, SKYCOM PRO is priced at $80.00 USD each. A special order form for Bulk Orders is included below. Print it out, fill it out, include the appropriate payment, and mail it to us. We will then return the requested number of SKYCOM software packages to the indicated shipping address.

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S K Y C O M P R O V e r s i o n 2 . 0 O R D E R F O R M

Solar Terrestrial Dispatch
P.O. Box 357
Stirling, Alberta
T0K 2E0
Canada

I am interested in purchasing the SKYCOM PRO High Frequency Ionospheric Analyst Software. I have remitted a check or money order made payable to the "Solar Terrestrial Dispatch" in United States dollars (personal checks in U.S. currency are accepted) for the amount(s) listed below.

SKYCOM PRO is ONLY shipped on 3.5" high-density (1.44 MB) disks.

Please ship the software via Air-Mail to the following address:

Address: _____

_____

_____

_____

E-Mail: _____

Phone: _____ FAX: _____

Please Check the appropriate box below (prices include S/H):
[__] - SKYCOM only, without a printed manual ($ 110.00 USD).
[__] - SKYCOM with a printed manual ($ 125.00 USD).

If you have previously purchased SKYCOM from us:
[__] - UPGRADING to SKYCOM PRO without a printed manual ($70.00 USD).
[__] - UPGRADING to SKYCOM PRO with a printed manual ($85.00 USD).

Check the following if applicable:

[__] - Please ship ____ Extra Printed MANUALs to me. I have included the required funds ($15.00 each) for printing, shipping, and handling.

I have also enclosed the appropriate funds for the following products:

[__] - BCAST Version 1.03 (Solar & Geophysical Database Management / Analyst Software + Limited Database. $45.00)

[__] - Extended Database for BCAST Version 1.03.
($ 45.00 if registered, otherwise $50.00 if not)

*** CANADIAN RESIDENTS -- NO G.S.T. REQUIRED! ***

I understand that shipment may require between 4 and 6 weeks, depending on the delivery point and the postal service. However, please RUSH my order and ship via AIR MAIL as soon as possible. Thank you.

Date: _____ Signed: _____

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S K Y C O M V e r s i o n 2 . 0 B U L K O R D E R F O R M

Solar Terrestrial Dispatch
P.O. Box 357
Stirling, Alberta
T0K 2E0
Canada

We are interested in purchasing at least 3 copies of the SKYCOM PRO High Frequency Ionospheric Signal Analyst software at the discounted rate of $80.00 USD each. We have remitted a check or money order made payable to the "Solar Terrestrial Dispatch" in United States currency for the amount listed below: (All prices include Shipping and Handling)

Please Ship: [_____] copies at $80.00 each on 3.5" HD disks.
(Does not include printed manuals - see below.)

Please specify the shipping address below:

SHIPPING: _____
ADDRESS
_____

_____

_____

Contact Person: _____

Contact E-Mail: (IF AVAILABLE)_____

Contact Phone: (MUST INCLUDE)_____

Contact FAX: (IF AVAILABLE)_____

Check the following if applicable:

[__] - Please ship _____ Printed MANUALs to the Shipping Address above.
($15.00 USD each).

We have also enclosed the appropriate funds for the following products:
Specify how many of each in the box provided.

[____] - BCAST Version 1.03 (Solar & Geophysical Database Management / Analyst Software + Limited Database. $45.00)

[____] - Extended Database for BCAST Version 1.03.
($50.00 USD)

TOTAL AMOUNT ENCLOSED: $USD_____

*** CANADIAN RESIDENTS -- NO G.S.T. REQUIRED! ***

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Date: _____ Signed: _____

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19. Scanner Homepage Nederland

Newsgroup: rec.ham-radio
Date: 1995-10-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: jvduin@pi.net
Message-ID: <45oiub$3j1@neptunus.pi.net>
Source record: 3236
Cross-posted to: pi.oneindig,soc.culture.netherlands,rec.ham-radio,rec.ham-radio.packet,rec.radio.packet,rec.radio.cb

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Hallo allemaal,

Graag wil ik de scannerluisteraars onder jullie wijzen op mijn
homepage: de Scanner Homepage Nederland. De bedoeling van deze
pagina's is het verzamelen en publiceren van actuele en gecontroleerde
frequenties. Neem eens een kijkje op:

http://www.pi.net/~jvduin/home.html

Help mij door goede (door jezelf gevonden) frequenties, of andere
interessante informatie te sturen naar:

jvduin@pi.net.
--
J. van Duin >@' @< _@=
Woerden, Holland (_> <_) <__)
jvduin@pi.net ~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~
http://www.pi.net/~jvduin/home.html
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20. Re: Scanner Homepage Nederland

Newsgroup: rec.ham-radio
Date: 1995-10-17 00:00:00 UTC
From: hanslen@pop.pi.net
Message-ID: <NEWTNews.22620.813985102.hanslen@pi-user.pi.net>
Source record: 3237
Cross-posted to: soc.culture.netherlands,rec.radio.packet,rec.radio.cb,rec.ham-radio.packet,rec.ham-radio,pi.oneindig

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In article <45oiub$3j1@neptunus.pi.net>, <jvduin@pi.net> writes:
> Path: news.pi.net!news
> From: jvduin@pi.net (Jan van Duin)
> Newsgroups:
pi.oneindig,soc.culture.netherlands,rec.ham-radio,rec.ham-radio.packet,rec.radi
o.packet,rec.radio.cb
> Subject: Scanner Homepage Nederland
> Date: Sat, 14 Oct 1995 13:54:27 GMT
> Organization: Private
> Lines: 20
> Message-ID: <45oiub$3j1@neptunus.pi.net>
> NNTP-Posting-Host: utr0066.pi.net
> X-Newsreader: Forte Agent .99b.112
> Xref: news.pi.net pi.oneindig:446 soc.culture.netherlands:11959
rec.ham-radio:11 rec.ham-radio.packet:10 rec.radio.cb:2571
>
> Hallo allemaal,
>
> Graag wil ik de scannerluisteraars onder jullie wijzen op mijn
> homepage: de Scanner Homepage Nederland. De bedoeling van deze
> pagina's is het verzamelen en publiceren van actuele en gecontroleerde
> frequenties. Neem eens een kijkje op:
>
> http://www.pi.net/~jvduin/home.html
>
> Help mij door goede (door jezelf gevonden) frequenties, of andere
> interessante informatie te sturen naar:
>
> jvduin@pi.net.
> --
> J. van Duin >@' @< _@=
> Woerden, Holland (_> <_) <__)
> jvduin@pi.net ~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~
> http://www.pi.net/~jvduin/home.html
> --
>
>
Zal ik zeker doen, hartelijk dank hiervoor

Hans
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21. Re: Scanner Homepage Nederland

Newsgroup: rec.ham-radio
Date: 1995-10-19 00:00:00 UTC
From: pa2bbs@pi.net
Message-ID: <NEWTNews.28508.814147896.pa2bbs@pi-user.pi.net>
Source record: 3238
Cross-posted to: soc.culture.netherlands,rec.radio.packet,rec.radio.cb,rec.ham-radio.packet,rec.ham-radio,pi.oneindig

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> From: jvduin@pi.net (Jan van Duin)
> Newsgroups:
pi.oneindig,soc.culture.netherlands,rec.ham-radio,rec.ham-radio.packet,rec.radi
o.packet,rec.radio.cb
> Subject: Scanner Homepage Nederland
> Date: Sat, 14 Oct 1995 13:54:27 GMT
> Organization: Private
> Lines: 20
> Message-ID: <45oiub$3j1@neptunus.pi.net>
> NNTP-Posting-Host: utr0066.pi.net
> X-Newsreader: Forte Agent .99b.112
> Xref: news.pi.net pi.oneindig:446 soc.culture.netherlands:11959
rec.ham-radio:11 rec.ham-radio.packet:10 rec.radio.cb:2571
>
> Hallo allemaal,
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> Graag wil ik de scannerluisteraars onder jullie wijzen op mijn
> homepage: de Scanner Homepage Nederland. De bedoeling van deze
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> Woerden, Holland (_> <_) <__)
> jvduin@pi.net ~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~~
> http://www.pi.net/~jvduin/home.html
> --
>
>
hoi ik ben sjaak ik wil je heel iets anders vragen ,en dat is
kan ik ook zo een homepage openen voor me zelf en anderen.
ik zit er pas op,op internet ,vandaar. kun je mijn daar bij helpen ??
groeten sjaak uit nijmegen.
pa2bbs@pi.net
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22. SONY SW-55, SW-77 and ICF SW-2010

Newsgroup: rec.ham-radio
Date: 1995-11-27 00:00:00 UTC
From: Alejandro Parada <alepara@is1.hk.super.net>
Message-ID: <NEWTNews.817506769.2228.alepara@alepara.hk.super.net>
Source record: 3239
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.digital,rec.ham-radio,dc.ham-radio,aus.radio.amateur.digital,alt.internet.talk.radio,alt.internet.talk-radio

Hi,

I am writing from Hong Kong. I own a SONY 2010, and wish to buy a new SONY set.
Could anyone kindly let me know their experience with the SONY W-77 and its performance over the SW-55? Which one should I buy??

I would appreciate you E-mail your comments and suggestions to:

alepara@hk.super.net

Thank you very much in advance,

Alejandro PARADA

23. Re: SONY SW-55, SW-77 and ICF SW-2010

Newsgroup: rec.ham-radio
Date: 1995-11-28 00:00:00 UTC
From: leonards@idir.net
Message-ID: <leonards-2811951135390001@idtslw04.idir.net>
Source record: 3240
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.digital,rec.ham-radio,dc.ham-radio,aus.radio.amateur.digital,alt.internet.talk.radio,alt.internet.talk-radio

In article <NEWTNews.817506769.2228.alepara@alepara.hk.super.net>,
Alejandro Parada <alepara@is1.hk.super.net> wrote:

> Hi,
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> set.
> Could anyone kindly let me know their experience with the SONY W-77 and its
> performance over the SW-55? Which one should I buy??
>
> I would appreciate you E-mail your comments and suggestions to:
>
> alepara@hk.super.net
>
>
> Thank you very much in advance,
>
>
> Alejandro PARADA

I own a Sony SW-77 and have been very happy with it's performance. I live
in eastern Kansas USA which is one of the most difficult reception areas
in the world. I think that here the Sync. operation of the SW-77 is a
great help in usable reception. Also the 77 has a Different IF frequency
for each reception band to maximise reception.

--
Leonard Short

leonards@idir.net

24. Re: SONY SW-55, SW-77 and ICF SW-2010

Newsgroup: rec.ham-radio
Date: 1995-12-05 00:00:00 UTC
From: wetv@aol.com
Message-ID: <4a35ov$8dp@newsbf02.news.aol.com>
Source record: 3241
Cross-posted to: rec.radio.shortwave,rec.radio.amateur.digital,rec.ham-radio,dc.ham-radio,aus.radio.amateur.digital,alt.internet.talk.radio,alt.internet.talk-radio

I am looking for military radios us or foreign from 1940-to-present.
thanks
lloyd scott
wetv@aol.com

25. http://www.burnabyradio.com/ham/brc.html

Newsgroup: rec.ham-radio
Date: 1995-12-06 00:00:00 UTC
From: donb@Direct.CA
Message-ID: <4a3eh6$9p1@grid.direct.ca>
Source record: 3242
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio,rec.ham-radio.packet,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.antenna

Hello to all who read this message.

I am letting you all know that the Burnaby Radio communications WWW page
is
now running stable, you should be able to check it out at any time.

Some of you had problems before accessing our WWW page, but that problem
should be over now. We have changed servers so our WWW Page should work
all
the time now.

The page is at "http://www.burnabyradio.com/ham/brc.html"

We are: Burnaby Radio Communications Ltd.
4257 E. Hastings Street
Burnaby, B.C. Canada
V5C 2J5
Phone: (604)298-5444
Fax: (604)298-5455
BBS: (604)298-3283

WWW: http://www.burnabyradio.com/ham/brc.html

Please visit us!!!

And please fill out our form, and you will receive our latest price
list.

Thanks.

Don Boekenkruger
ve7cbt@intergate.bc.ca

26. REQUEST INFO - Oklahoma Comm Center

Newsgroup: rec.ham-radio
Date: 1995-12-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: gregkopp@en.com
Message-ID: <gregkopp-1112951537310001@l2-8.en.net>
Source record: 3243
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.ham-radio,rec.ham-radio.swap

Have you ever bought anything from Oklahoma Comm Center (1-800-765-HAMS)??

I'm looking at buying a radio mail order from them. They are $30 cheaper
than most other stores with free shipping and I'm not sure of thier
reliability.

e-mail to gregkopp@en.com or n8jms@cars.org

27. Re: REQUEST INFO - Oklahoma Comm Center

Newsgroup: rec.ham-radio
Date: 1995-12-11 00:00:00 UTC
From: kc5egg@eule.lanl.gov
Message-ID: <4aiggk$p8t@newshost.lanl.gov>
Source record: 3244
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.ham-radio

Been reliable for me and they ship free.

28. Re: REQUEST INFO - Oklahoma Comm Center

Newsgroup: rec.ham-radio
Date: 1995-12-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Bill Bennett <bb@tisc.com>
Message-ID: <4akcf4$sbh@taxis.corp.titan.com>
Source record: 3245
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.ham-radio,rec.ham-radio.swap

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have purchaced a yeasu ft530
and a icom 706
and a yeasu ft2400
they were $30 less than the competition and exelent attitude
and for an additional $5 they shipped 2 day
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29. Re: REQUEST INFO - Oklahoma Comm Center

Newsgroup: rec.ham-radio
Date: 1995-12-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: ssampson@icon.net
Message-ID: <ssampson.36.000706A3@icon.net>
Source record: 3246
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.ham-radio,rec.ham-radio.swap

gregkopp@en.com (Greg Kopp) writes:

>Have you ever bought anything from Oklahoma Comm Center (1-800-765-HAMS)??

>I'm looking at buying a radio mail order from them. They are $30 cheaper
>than most other stores with free shipping and I'm not sure of thier
>reliability.

They are WAY up on the north side of OKC (maybe even Edmond) and I'm way down
on the south side. But I've bought several things from them, no problem.
They have a small display area, but are basically geared to mail order.
They've been in business for a few years now. They try to stay competitive
even when Hams want the wholesale price. I've seen em sell a radio for
five bucks over wholesale. I guess there's money in volume...

30. Re: REQUEST INFO - Oklahoma Comm Center

Newsgroup: rec.ham-radio
Date: 1995-12-12 00:00:00 UTC
From: Jerry Kreifels <Jerry_A_Kreifels@ccm.hf.intel.com>
Message-ID: <4ak8da$pq7@mcd1.fm.intel.com>
Source record: 3247
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.ham-radio,rec.ham-radio.swap

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>I'm looking at buying a radio mail order from them. They are $30 cheaper
>than most other stores with free shipping and I'm not sure of thier
>reliability.
>

I've dealt with OCC on 3 occaisions, beginning about Sept. 1994. I have no
complaints with them. I can't speak about return policies or anything, since
I've had no need to return, but I'd encourage you to buy from there.

73, Jerry

--
Jerry, KO6JV (Sacramento CA area)
Jerry_A_Kreifels@ccm.fm.intel.com
"My opinions, not my employer's."

31. Re: REQUEST INFO - Oklahoma Comm Center

Newsgroup: rec.ham-radio
Date: 1995-12-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Steve Sawyers n0yvy <sawyers@inav.net>
Message-ID: <4al934$tjr@composer.inav.net>
Source record: 3248
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.ham-radio,rec.ham-radio.swap

I bought one radio from them over two years ago and had no
problems with them or the radio - Yeasu FT-530 Dual bander.

32. Re: REQUEST INFO - Oklahoma Comm Center

Newsgroup: rec.ham-radio
Date: 1995-12-13 00:00:00 UTC
From: Alan Johnson <kninectf>
Message-ID: <4amved$33i@Twain.MO.NET>
Source record: 3249
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.ham-radio,rec.ham-radio.swap

I have purchased two radios form Oklahoma Comm and have been very happy with the service, price and the way that I was treated. I don't believe you can go wrong with them.

Alan
K9CTF
kninectf@mo.net

33. Oracle of Man apology

Newsgroup: rec.ham-radio
Date: 1995-12-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: oracle1@shell02.ozemail.com.au
Message-ID: <4aovp0$lei@shell02.ozemail.com.au>
Source record: 3250
Cross-posted to: rec.games.misc,rec.games.pbm,rec.games.programmer,rec.games.trivia,rec.games.vectrex,rec.gardens,rec.ham-radio,rec.ham-radio.packet,rec.ham-radio.swap,

I am sending this apology to all News Groups who I inadvertently "SPAMED"
last week promoting a book called "Oracle of Man". I had no idea there
would be such considerable anger from News Group readers.

I will now try to attract interested users to our Web Page
www.oracle_of_man.aust.com by ethical means.

Craig Massey

34. Re: REQUEST INFO - Oklahoma Comm Center

Newsgroup: rec.ham-radio
Date: 1995-12-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: n5kxi@ionet.net
Message-ID: <4apm7b$cli@ionews.ionet.net>
Source record: 3251
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.ham-radio,rec.ham-radio.swap

In article <gregkopp-1112951537310001@l2-8.en.net>, gregkopp@en.com
says...
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>than most other stores with free shipping and I'm not sure of thier
>reliability.
>
>e-mail to gregkopp@en.com or n8jms@cars.org

I buy ALL my equipment there. I have shoped around, but with their
prices and they pay shipping, they are my ONLY store now....73

Lee N5KXI

35. Re: REQUEST INFO - Oklahoma Comm Center

Newsgroup: rec.ham-radio
Date: 1995-12-14 00:00:00 UTC
From: ken.thompson@KS.Symbios.COM
Message-ID: <ken.thompson.1025.000F516D@KS.Symbios.COM>
Source record: 3252
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.ham-radio,rec.ham-radio.swap

In article <4apm7b$cli@ionews.ionet.net> n5kxi@ionet.net (Lee Allen) writes:
>From: n5kxi@ionet.net (Lee Allen)
>I buy ALL my equipment there.
>Lee N5KXI

ionet is an Internet provider IN Okla. You don't have ties to OCC do you? :-)

36. Re: REQUEST INFO - Oklahoma Comm Center

Newsgroup: rec.ham-radio
Date: 1995-12-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: jboyd@icon.net
Message-ID: <4atbek$2oj@news.icon.net>
Source record: 3253
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.ham-radio,rec.ham-radio.swap

gregkopp@en.com (Greg Kopp) wrote:

>Have you ever bought anything from Oklahoma Comm Center (1-800-765-HAMS)??

>I'm looking at buying a radio mail order from them. They are $30 cheaper
>than most other stores with free shipping and I'm not sure of thier
>reliability.

>e-mail to gregkopp@en.com or n8jms@cars.org

I LIVE in OKC, and I buy from them regularly. For the most part
they're nice guys, and they seem to work hard to take care of their
customers. I've made the same discovery, i.e., they're cheaper than
most of the other mail order places. Give them a try, I don't think
you'll be disappointed. Tell them KC5KBC/John gave them a thumb's up!

73!

37. Re: REQUEST INFO - Oklahoma Comm Center

Newsgroup: rec.ham-radio
Date: 1995-12-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: Harold Alexander <alex@rmii.com>
Message-ID: <4at42n$2sj@natasha.rmii.com>
Source record: 3254
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.ham-radio,rec.ham-radio.swap

I purchased a Yeasu FT-840 from them and have been very pleased with the radio and their response to my needs.

38. Re: REQUEST INFO - Oklahoma Comm Center

Newsgroup: rec.ham-radio
Date: 1995-12-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: dgf@netcom.com
Message-ID: <dgfDJou04.4II@netcom.com>
Source record: 3255
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.ham-radio,rec.ham-radio.swap

In article <4atbek$2oj@news.icon.net> jboyd@icon.net (John Boyd) writes:
>gregkopp@en.com (Greg Kopp) wrote:
>
>>Have you ever bought anything from Oklahoma Comm Center (1-800-765-HAMS)??
>
>>I'm looking at buying a radio mail order from them. They are $30 cheaper
>>than most other stores with free shipping and I'm not sure of thier
>>reliability.
>

Add me to the list of satisfied customers - I called to order a used radio last tuesday, and it was in my hands on Friday (in Denver). The shipment included MORE accessories than they originally claimed, they didn't charge for shipment, everything was in excellent shape and well packaged. Definately pleased at this end.

73 Dave WB0GAZ dgf@netcom.com

39. Re: REQUEST INFO - Oklahoma Comm Center

Newsgroup: rec.ham-radio
Date: 1995-12-16 00:00:00 UTC
From: g_reed@icon.net
Message-ID: <N.121695.124112.74@icon.net>
Source record: 3256
Cross-posted to:
rec.ham-radio,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.swap

> Have you ever bought anything from Oklahoma Comm Center (1-800-765-HAMS)??
>
> I'm looking at buying a radio mail order from them. They are $30 cheaper
> than most other stores with free shipping and I'm not sure of thier
> reliability.
>
> e-mail to gregkopp@en.com or n8jms@cars.org

Hi Greg,

I live a few miles from Oklahoma Comm Center and drop by often for a chat with Mike and Tony. They are the two guys you will most often deal with when calling on the phone. They are both knowledgeable active hams and are glad to share their experiences to help you pick out the rig that is right for you. I have never seen a better price on equipment or support for the buyer. I will admit that they are more geared for mail order than counter sales and if you walk into the showroom, you might wait awhile before they get around to helping you. If you are looking for reassurance, you have it. They are on the up and up and serious about selling you ham gear now and in the future.

P.S. - If you talk to Mike, tell him Glenn said he is a bottomfeeder. If you talk to Tony, have him pass the message to mike. o<:-)%

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<> OK Wing Communications - C.A.P. <>
<> Sooner 44 <>
<> KF5XB <>
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Note: The above remarks do not necessarily
represent those of anything sentient.

40. Re: REQUEST INFO - Oklahoma Comm Center

Newsgroup: rec.ham-radio
Date: 1995-12-18 00:00:00 UTC
From: cjs9@cornell.edu
Message-ID: <4b4fjm$qep@newsstand.cit.cornell.edu>
Source record: 3257
Cross-posted to:
rec.radio.amateur,rec.radio.amateur.swap,rec.radio.amateur.misc,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.ham-radio,rec.ham-radio.swap

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>>Have you ever bought anything from Oklahoma Comm Center
>(1-800-765-HAMS)??
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>
>I buy ALL my equipment there. I have shoped around, but with their
>prices and they pay shipping, they are my ONLY store now....73
>
>Lee N5KXI
>

Add my satisfied voice to the list. Nothing but good service from these
people.
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Carl (ex-jarhead) Semper Fi
KB2SGX
"For those who fought for it, freedom has a flavor the
protected will never know"
Unknown Marine, Khe Sahn, Viet Nam
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41. WORK IN RADIO-SOUND RECORDING - GUARANTEED

Newsgroup: rec.ham-radio
Date: 1995-12-24 00:00:00 UTC
From: bassman@crl.com
Message-ID: <4bj9pg$34g@crl.crl.com>
Source record: 3258
Cross-posted to: control,rec.ham-radio

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42. Wanted Yaesu FT-690R II

Newsgroup: rec.ham-radio
Date: 1995-12-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: ve7zvz@dowco.com
Message-ID: <ve7zvz-3012951335080001@ppp48.dowco.com>
Source record: 3259
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

Wanted to Buy Yaesu FT-690R II 6M all mode.

Willing to Trade Yaesu FT-790R II 70cm all mode portable or sell this rig for
$750 CDN or equivalent in US$

You may repsond via E-mail allthough I am not the seller.
Buyer/Seller is Don VE7MDX phone (604)942-3278

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Scott Leaf VE7ZVZ CN89os
ve7zvz@dowco.com
Port Coquitlam, British Columbia, Canada
Mountain DX Club VA7SM - "To boldy VHF where no ham has VHFed before"

43. Yasesu FT-790R II For Sale

Newsgroup: rec.ham-radio
Date: 1995-12-30 00:00:00 UTC
From: ve7zvz@dowco.com
Message-ID: <ve7zvz-3012951340400001@ppp48.dowco.com>
Source record: 3260
Cross-posted to: rec.ham-radio,rec.ham-radio.swap,rec.radio.amateur.equipment,rec.radio.swap

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For sale Yasesu FT-790R II 70cm all mode portable
$750 CDN or equivalent in US$
Also willing to trade this for Yaesu FT-690R II 6M all mode portable.

You may respond via e-mail but I am not the seller.
Seller is Don (VE7MDX) phone (604) 942-3278

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Scott Leaf VE7ZVZ CN89os
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Port Coquitlam, British Columbia, Canada
Mountain DX Club VA7SM - "To boldy VHF where no ham has VHFed before"
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